



# Fort Hood Morale, Welfare and Recreation

## November / December 2005

### November 11 through January 8 – Nature in Lights at Belton Lake Outdoor Recreation Area

- Largest drive-thru display of holiday lights in Central Texas.
- \$7 per vehicle. Receive a \$2 discount before Thanksgiving. Special rates apply to vehicles with 15 or more passengers.
- Visit Santa's Village for pictures with Santa, treats, entertainment and arts and crafts vendors. Open Friday through Saturday Nov. 18 – Dec. 11, Thanksgiving Day and nightly Dec. 16 – 24 from 5:30 – 11 p.m.
- For more information or directions to BLORA, call 287-2523 or visit [www.hoodmwr.com](http://www.hoodmwr.com).
- Arts and crafts vendor space is available. Call Barbara Newberry at 532-2586.

### November 16 - Sprint & Nextel Mini Job Fair

- 1:30 – 3:30 p.m., Civilian Personnel Advisory Center, S. 77<sup>th</sup> Street, bldg 4220.
- Hiring for Customer Lifecycle and Account Services Representatives. Interested candidates must submit a resume at [www.nexteljobs.com](http://www.nexteljobs.com).
- Registration is required to attend this event. Call 288-2089 or email [fthoodacserb@hood.army.mil](mailto:fthoodacserb@hood.army.mil).

### November 17 – International Spouses Support Group Multicultural Marriage Seminar

- 1:30 p.m. Lane Volunteer Center, Old Ironsides at Hood Road, bldg 16005.
- Presented by David and Sunny McKee.
- Gain valuable information about English as a Second Language, employment, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.
- Call ACS Relocation Readiness Program for more information 287-4471.

### November 19 – November Four-Person Scramble at the Courses of Clear Creek

- \$20 plus greens and cart rental fees and includes lunch!
- Register from 8 to 8:45 a.m., shotgun start at 9 a.m.
- Come out and play to win gift certificates valued up to \$1,000 (based on 25 foursomes).
- FREE demonstrations will be provided by PING! Take a test drive with all of the latest equipment offered by one of the leading equipment manufacturers in the industry.
- Call 287-4130 for more information.

### November 19 – The First Teen Townhall

- 2 p.m. at the Comanche Youth Center, Tank Destroyer, bldg 52019, 287-5834.
- A unique opportunity for teens to talk about a social club concept with Fort Hood leaders.
- Army children 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades are invited to participate, parents are encouraged to attend.
- For more information, contact 287-6124 or MWR Public Relations at 287-5372

### November 24 – Thanksgiving Day Buffet at the Officers' Club

- Everyone's welcome.
- Two seatings: 11 – 1 p.m. and 2 – 4 p.m.
- \$17.95 for adults, \$7.95 for children 6-12 and \$2.95 for children 1-5.
- Call 532-5073 to make reservations.

### December 3 – Army vs. Navy football game Party at Legends Pub

- Enjoy the game on a big screen.
- Doors open at 1 p.m., game starts at 1:30.
- Open to everyone.
- No cover charge.
- Free snacks and door prizes.
- 24<sup>th</sup> and Tank Destroyer next to the Officers' Club, 532-5329.

### December 12 - Estate Planning for Special Needs Family Members Class

- 6-8 p.m. in the Comanche Chapel, Tank Destroyer.
- This class teaches parents of a child with special needs how to ensure that their child will be taken care of in the event of their death.
- Childcare can be provided with a reservation
- Call ACS Exceptional Family Member Program at 287-6070

**December 16 – “Lights on For Life” Day**

- Join the rest of the nation and drive with your vehicle lights on throughout the day in memory to those who lost their lives to drunk drivers and a reminder for everyone not to drink and drive.
- For more information and to learn more about the Tie-One-On for Safety Red Ribbon campaign, call the Army Substance Abuse Program at 618-7446.

**December 18 – Santa’s Headquarters at the Officers’ Club**

- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- All you can eat brunch, pictures with Santa, cookie decorating, face painting and arts and crafts vendors.
- \$12.95 for adults, \$5.50 children 6-12 and \$2.50 for children 1-5.
- Reservations are recommended, call 532-5329.
- Arts and crafts vendor space available, call Gaby at 532-5329.

**December 23 – Christmas Bingo Special**

- Community Events Center, Clear Creek Road, bldg 50012, 532-9253.
- Get into the Christmas spirit and try your luck to win some extra money for last minute gifts! Come and have some fun at one of the best kept secrets on Fort Hood!
- Special Christmas coverall game for a \$500 pot, 53 numbers called or less! Pot drops to \$300 thereafter.

**December 31 – New Year’s Eve Party at the Phantom Warrior Center**

- 9:30 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.
- Complimentary breakfast, champagne and the music of Sensual Soul.
- Advance tickets are \$20 and are available at the Officers’ Club, 532-5329. Tickets are \$30 at the door.
- Dress to impress in black and white attire.

**Army Emergency Relief Announces the MG James Ursano Scholarship Fund**

- For the 2006 -2007 post secondary schools academic year.
- Children of Army Soldiers, under 22 years of age, and unmarried during the entire academic year can apply for a scholarship ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,200.
- Applications will be accepted until March 1 2006.
- For more information and to obtain an application, visit [www.aerhq.org](http://www.aerhq.org) or call the Fort Hood AER office at 288-7292.

**ACS Exceptional Family Member Program Offering Free Recurring Classes**

- “Presentation on Bullying” on the fourth Monday of each month from 6-8 pm in the Comanche Chapel. This class approaches bullying from the perspective of both the victim and the predator.
- “Estate Planning for Special Needs” on the second Monday of each month from 6-8 p.m. in the Comanche Chapel. This class teaches parents of a child with special needs how to ensure that their child will be taken care of in the event of their death.
- You do not have to be registered with EFMP to participate.
- Child care will be provided with a reservation.
- For more information, call 287-6070.

**Apache Arts & Crafts**

- Cyber Surf Café is has been reopened to service your internet needs. Only \$1 for 15 minutes, or for the best value, purchase a punch card for \$40 and get 10 hours. Open Tues. – Sat. from 11 a.m. – 10 p.m.
- Drawing & Sketching classes offered every Tuesday and Thursday from 5 -7 p.m. and Saturday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$15 per class.
- Pottery classes are every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. for \$15 plus clay.
- Beginner crochet is offered every Friday from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. for \$10. The intermediate class is every Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at \$15 per student.
- Candle making is every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 1-5 p.m. Limit 2 students per class, only \$20 per person.
- For more information about these classes and more, call 287-0343.

**Army Substance Abuse Program’s Tie-One-On for Safety Red Ribbon Campaign**

- Don’t drink and drive this holiday season! Tie a “Red Ribbon” On your vehicle antenna to signify your commitment to drive safe and sober.
- Pick up your red ribbon from your unit or at various post locations during the campaign through January 1, 2006.
- Units can contact the ASAP, Support Avenue at 58<sup>th</sup> Street, bldg 2241.
- For more information, call 618-7446.

**Sign up for Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers Annual Ski Trip to Keystone, Colorado**

- January 13-16, 2006.
- \$650 per person, payment plans are available, 51 seats only.
- Trip includes bus transportation to and from airport, roundtrip airline tickets, three nights lodging, ski or snowboard rental, two-day lift ticket and FREE ski lessons.
- Contact Fort Hood BOSS 287-6116, or email [lincoln.brevard@hood.army.mil](mailto:lincoln.brevard@hood.army.mil) to reserve your space today!

### **Casablanca's Valentine's Cruise**

- Cruise to Cozumel, Cayman Islands, and Jamaica on Feb. 12 for eight days on a Carnival Cruise Ship.
- Only \$705 per person.
- Stop by Casablanca located in the Equipment Checkout Center, bldg 4930, 285-2090.

### **ITR Has All of Your Entertainment**

- The Army MWR web site can save you money on worldwide travel! Before you book your next trip, visit <http://www.armymwr.com/portal/travel/lodging/patronlinks/sav.asp> to find information on 7-day resort vacations all over the world for only \$264. When booking, make sure you use Fort Hood's Information, Ticketing and Registration identification number: 173. For more information about this site and any of the services that ITR offers, call 287-7310.
- Pick-up discount vouchers to hotels in Arlington, San Antonio and Austin and save up to 40 percent.
- Get your discount tickets to the Circus Chimera November 18-20 at the Killeen Rodeo Grounds.
- For additional information call ITR at 287-7310.

### **Child and Youth Services Discounted Registrations**

- All registrations are discounted until November 18.
- Discounted fees are: \$15 a year for one child, \$30 a year for two children, \$36 for a family of three or more.
- All new registrants will also be entered in a drawing for a FREE full month of child care, or a free sport registration of choice or two months of SKIES *Unlimited* Academy instructional class of choice.
- Call the Central Enrollment Registry Office at 287-8029.

### **Courses of Clear Creek Unlimited Winter Golf**

- Pay for a round of golf and play unlimited holes after 12 p.m. through February 28, 2006.
- Everyday except weekends, training and federal holidays.
- \$18 DoD cardholders, \$20 for the general public, includes cart rental.
- For more information, call 287-4130.

### **Equipment Checkout Center**

- From Nov. 1 – Mar. 31, ECOC checkout hours are Mon. – Sat. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- ECOC is your source for outdoor and party rental equipment.
- Call 287-4126 for more information.

### **Fort Hood Out of School Child Supervision Policy, a.k.a. Home Alone Policy**

- CYS would like to remind parents of the policy described by FH Reg 210-48, Installation Housing Community Standards (17 Nov 03), Chapter 7. Requirements design to protect children residing on the installation.
- Children 10 years and under (11 years if in 5<sup>th</sup> grade) will be under direct supervision (line of sight) by an adult, parent, School Age Services site staff, designated teenager.
- Children 11 years old (12 years if in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade) will have monitored supervision.
- Youth 12 years (11 years if in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade) may be unattended for no more than 6 hours during a 24-hour period.
- Teenagers between the ages of 13-15 years may be left unattended between the hours of 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. but not to exceed 8 hours during a 24-hour period.
- Teenagers between the ages of 16-18 years (and in the 12<sup>th</sup> grade) will not be left unattended for more than 12 hours during a 24-hour period.
- Report violations to this policy by calling the ACS Family Advocacy Program at 287-CARE, or the Fort Hood Police at 287-4001.
- CYS can assist parents who are in need of care for their children. Call or visit the Central Enrollment Registry Office at 287-8029.

### **Legends Pub**

- Officers' bar, no membership required.
- Open Tuesday through Friday, 4 p.m. to close.
- Located at 24<sup>th</sup> and Wainwright Dr. next to the Officers' Club.

### **MWR Skating and Wellness Center**

- Aerobics available Mon. – Fri. at 5:30 p.m. and Saturdays 9 a.m. Sessions include step aerobics, hi/lo cardio and conditioning/strength training/toning.
- Skating classes offered every Friday 5:30 – 7:00 p.m., \$2 per person.
- Adult Skate Night, Saturdays 10:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.
- Skate to Christian music on Thursdays, 7 – 10 p.m.
- Available for private parties. Call 287-5623. They are located on 37<sup>th</sup> Street, bldg 324.

### **Patton's Inn open Wednesday – Friday at 4 p.m.**

- Wednesdays - free tacos, no cover charge, music by Dr. J.
- Thursdays – free catfish, \$4 cover charge, music by Dr. J.
- Fridays - free chips and salsa.
- To book your next party at Patton's Inn, call 287-8484.

**Phantom Warrior Lanes 1st Choice Combo Meal Promotion at Strike Zone**

- As a thank you for making Strike Zone grill your first choice for lunch, the Phantom Warrior Lanes is offering a FREE combo meal after your sixth combo meal purchase.
- Pickup your FREE combo meal punch card to keep track of your purchases.
- Enter the completed punch card into another drawing for prizes!
- Promotion ends January 31, 2006. For more information, call PWL at 287-3424

**Phantom Warrior Lanes Turkey Bowl**

- Bowl 10 open bowling games and enter to win one of five turkeys for Thanksgiving!
- Pick up a 10 game punch card at the customer service counter.
- Open bowling games are \$2.75, \$1.50 per shoe rental.
- Drawing will be held on November 21.
- Call 287-3424 for more information.

**SKIES*Unlimited* Academy and Apache Arts and Crafts Center Offer Youth Classes**

- Ceramics, Drawing & sketching, leather crafting, woodshop, scrapbooking and stain glass for ages 8 to 18 years.
- Framing and sewing for ages 12 to 18 years.
- All classes will be held at Apache Arts and Crafts Center, 761<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion at 62<sup>nd</sup> Street, bldg 2337.
- All students must be enrolled with Child and Youth Services Central Enrollment Registry Office. Call 287-8029.
- For more information about class times and about the SKIES*Unlimited* Academy, call 287-4592.

**Sportsmen's Center**

- Free hunting and fishing licenses for active duty military with at least six months of Texas residency. \$64 value and includes all five state stamp endorsements: archery, freshwater fishing and migratory game bird, saltwater fishing with a red drum tag and upland game bird. Call 532-4552 for more information.
- Stop by for breakfast or lunch. Bldg. 1937, Rod and Gun Loop, 53<sup>rd</sup> St. and North Ave.

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